

I am stunned at the degree to which the FCC, under Michael Powell's leadership, has fallen down on its job to protect the public interest. The ruling to eliminate the remaining vestiges of government regulation over media ownership in the US is a blatant demonstration of how the FCC is only concerned with protecting corporate profits and not public access to a broad spectrum of information. A ruling in support of deregulation is a shirking of official duty and counters the very principles of the republican party. I thought republicans believed in decenbtralizing control of the media not the other way round! Get to work for the American people not for a few corporations. Stand up to monopolies as you were mandated to do.